(*b*) 7,235. *Vide* statement attached.
(*c*) 2,600. *Vide* statement attached.

MESSRS. K. RAMANNA (Holenarsipur Taluk) and J. P. KHANDERAYA SETTY (Holenarsipur Municipality) and all the other members of Hassan District.—

Q.—31. Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the rivers and the villages near which *anicuts* are now proposed to be constructed and estimates prepared ;

(*b*) the estimated cost of each of such new *anicuts* ;

(*c*) the area of land expected to be brought under cultivation under each *anicut* ;

(*d*) which of these *anicuts* for which estimates have been prepared have been sanctioned till now ;

(*e*) which of them are kept in view by Government for sanction in future ?

SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.—

A.—31. (*a*) to (*c*) *Vide* statement attached. (Appendix).

(*d*) None so far.

(*e*) All the projects are under investigation.

MR. B. P. BASAPPA SETTY (Chickmagalur Taluk).—

Q.—32. Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether the article which appeared in the issue of the *Tainadu*, dated 28th February 1938, under the heading "ರಾಜಧಾನಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ನಡೆದ ದುರ್ಘಟನೆ" has been brought to their notice ;

(*b*) whether it is true that a boy of 14 years, by name Ramachandra Rao was beaten by Raja Naik, Sub-Inspector of Police ;

(*c*) whether it is a fact that he was removed to the Sri Krishnarajendra Hospital for treatment owing to bleeding in the nose due to the beating ;

(*d*) how long he was under treatment in the hospital ;

(*e*) whether it is true that the information given to the Police Station was refused to be received and, if so, the action taken against the Police Sub-Inspector ?

CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.—

A.—32. (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) It is not true.

(*c*) It is noted in the accident register of the Sri Krishnarajendra Hospital, Mysore, that the boy Ramachandran was brought to the hospital by Mr. K. N. Modaliar.

(*d*) Soon after treatment, he was advised admission as an in-patient, but refused.

(*e*) This is false. When the complaint was given in the Devaraja Station, the Daffedar in charge of the Station noted the fact in the Station House Diary and referred the party to the Court as the offence was non-cognizable.

MESSRS. T. C. BASAPPA (Tarikere Taluk) and T. V. NARASINGAPPA (Tarikere Municipality).—

Q.—35. Will the Governmet be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the number of political cases instituted by Government between September 1937 and March 1938 ;